GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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RULES UNDER FOREST RIGHTS ACT
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Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the rules under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006, have not been notified as yet;

(b) whether all the comments received on the proposed rules from the public have been examined to take a final view; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and the time by when the rules would be finally notified?

Answer

MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P. R. KYNDIAH)

(a): The Rules under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006 have not yet been notified.

(b) & (c): The comments received from the public on the draft Rules pre-published on 19th June, 2007, have been examined and the notification will take place as soon as all the formalities are completed.